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In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(3)(i) the relevance of JP 50-02136 A2 is set forth in its abstract, the English translation of which is provided.

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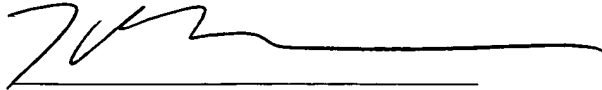
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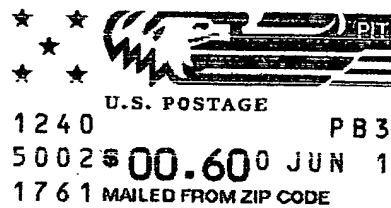
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